

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q80876

Frederic MAGNERON

Appln. No.: 10/815,685

Group Art Unit: 1745

Confirmation No.: 9408

Examiner: Not Yet Known

Filed: April 2, 2004

For: ELECTRIC COUPLING OF A CONNECTION TO A TERMINAL

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2007, in which the Examiner set a shortened statutory period for response by one month, making a reply due on or before April 23, 2007.

In the Action, the Examiner has required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following:

Group I: Claims 1-5, drawn to a system for electric coupling

Group II: Claims 6-14, drawn to a method for producing a system for electric coupling

Applicant hereby elects Group I, drawn to claims 1-5, without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications on the non-elected claims.

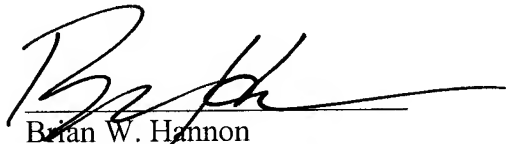
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In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes that a complete examination on the merits is now in order. Early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes that a personal or telephone interview would be helpful, he is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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